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(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross References to Related Application
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
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  - Claim(s)
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3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 7]
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(when there is an assignee)
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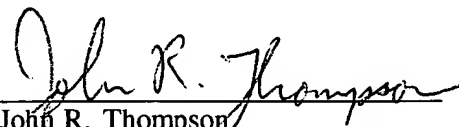
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